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TAGS: US EEC ETRD IR

SUBJECT: AGENDA FOR WILSON VISIT

REFS: A) LONDON 1234 B) EC BRUSSELS 723

C) ROME 1168 D) EC BRUSSELS 541

1. AS INDICATED BY REFTELS B, C AND D, EC MEMBER STATE OPPOSITION TO SOME FORM OF PREFERENTIAL TRADING ARRANGEMENT FOR IRAN HAS BEEN WEAKENING. FRANCE, GERMANY, DENMARK, AND ITALY NOW FAVOR (OR WOULD NOT EXCLUDE) A PREFERENTIAL DEAL. WHILE THE EC COMMISSION -- WITH SOAMES IN THE FOREFRONT -- HAS BEEN STANDING FIRM SO FAR, IT CANNOT BLOCK A PREFERENTIAL ARRANGEMENT IF THE MEMBER STATE WANT IT. THUS THE POSITION OF THE UK, WHICH HAS SO FAR SIDED WITH SOAMES, BECOMES CRUCIAL. EC RELATIONS WITH IRAN ARE CURRENTLY UNDER DISCUSSION IN THE COMMITTEE OF PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES AND IS TO BE CONSIDERED AGAIN BY THE EC COUNCIL AT ONE OF ITS FORTHCOMING SESSIONS.

2. IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING WE BELIEVE THAT HIGH LEVEL REITERA-

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TION OF US OPPOSITION TO AN EC-IRAN PREFERENTIAL ARRANGEMENT

DURING THE WILSON VISIT WOULD BE TIMELY AND HELPFUL.

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